



## Clayton Eugene Kohlmeyer

November 2, 2025

Clayton Eugene Kohlmeyer, 65, of Jupiter, Florida passed away on the second of November after a courageous battle with pancreatic cancer.

Born on October 7, 1960 in Royal Oak, Michigan, Clay moved with his family to North Palm Beach, Florida when he was six months old.

He graduated from Palm Beach Gardens High School in 1979 and went on to study Building Construction at the University of Florida, following in the footsteps of his beloved maternal grandfather, Eugene Hammond. Eugene, a well-respected general contractor in West Palm Beach, often took young Clay along to job sites, sparking a lifelong passion for building and craftsmanship.

While at University of Florida he pledged Sigma Chi fraternity and made wonderful lifelong friends and unforgettable memories.

After graduating, Clay began his career as an estimator for Roger Thomas, General Contractor. Roger was a valued mentor and friend. Clay started his own business in 1988. He went on to establish a successful career in both residential and commercial construction, eventually specializing in commercial projects.

In May of 1985, Clay married his high school sweetheart, Ann Ley, beginning a partnership that grew from teenagers to grandparents. Together they

welcomed their daughter, Kelly Ann in April of 1992. Kelly married Quint Williams in 2015, blessing Clay and Ann with two cherished grandchildren - Jack in 2022 and Lainey in 2024.

Clay loved boating, fishing, snow skiing and cheering on his beloved Florida Gators.

He was predeceased by his mother, Betty Sue Hammond in 2020 and Stepmother Faye Kohlmeyer in 2024. He is survived by his wife Ann, daughter Kelly, son-in-law Quint, and grandchildren Jack and Lainey; his father Fred Kohlmeyer; brothers Cliff Kohlmeyer (Catherine) and Ryan Steinolfson (Tatsiana); sisters Diane Kohlmeyer and Carol Riley (Leslie); as well as many nieces and nephews.

A Funeral Mass will be held at 11:00 AM on Friday, November 14, 2025 at St. Ignatius Loyola Catholic Church, 9999 Military Trail, Palm Beach Gardens, FL.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Nicklaus Children's Health Care Foundation ([nchcf.org](http://nchcf.org))

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

NOV **14**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Cathedral of St. Ignatius Loyola  
9999 North Military Trail  
Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410

# Tribute Wall

VH

“ I’m truly sorry for your loss. My condolences to your family. Clay was such a great guy — larger than life. I haven’t seen him in a while, but I thought of him often. After all these years, I was hopeful we would have another chance to work together on a project. I’m grateful I was able to speak with him in the past few weeks. Clay will be deeply missed. May he rest in peace.

Vinny Hermanns - November 14, 2025 at 09:59 AM



“ I miss u brother.

*U taught me so much.*

*Thank you*



Ryan Steinolfson - November 10, 2025 at 04:38 PM

MM

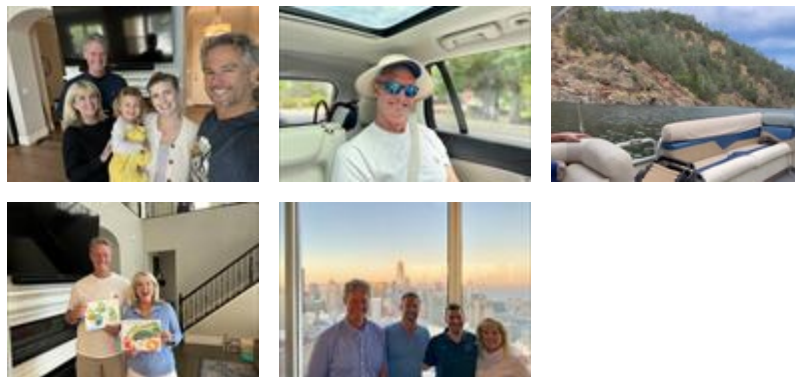
“ So many great memories with you my friend. These and many others I will never forget. I know you are going to catch some amazing fish in heaven. Please send some my way, as you know I need the help! Love and Miss you already Clay.



Michael A Marrotte - November 10, 2025 at 10:05 AM

LD

“ We love you and miss you Clay.



Luke Diaz - November 09, 2025 at 12:46 PM

SS

“ I will always remember growing up together with Clay, Cliff and Mr. Kohlmeier going to the keys during lobster season. I am so sorry for your loss. Clay was such a wonderful friend and he will be deeply missed. Please accept my deepest condolences.  
Steve Samples

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**Steve Samples** - November 09, 2025 at 10:16 AM

SS

Dear Dianne, Cliff, Mr. Kohlmeier and Family,

I am so sorry for your loss.  
I will always remember growing up together.  
Clay was such a fine person, he will be greatly missed. Your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Please accept my deepest condolences.

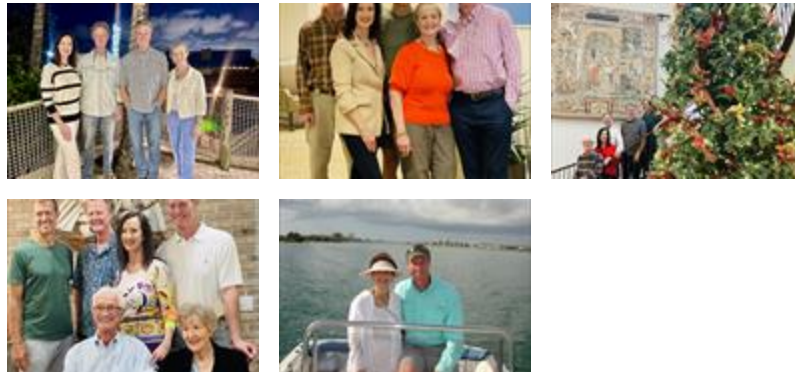
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**Steve Samples** - November 09, 2025 at 12:31 PM

DK

“ 6 files added to the album Family Pictures



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**Diane Kohlmeier** - November 04, 2025 at 11:07 AM

PB

*Beautiful pictures Diane...we love your family and have such special memories of each and every one of you❤️ God bless you all💕 Penny Ward Beard*

**Penny Beard** - November 04, 2025 at 12:12 PM

DK

*Thank you very much, Penny. I appreciate your kind words of love and encouragement. Love, Diane*

**Diane Kohlmeier** - November 04, 2025 at 02:06 PM

FT

*A very good friend , I'll miss that guy*

**frddie Talbott** - November 05, 2025 at 01:14 PM

JM

*Im so sorry. God's arms encircle him and your family.*

**Jo Morrissette** - November 06, 2025 at 10:29 AM

RM

“ *Here's to a full life, well lived.  
To those who Clay touched, my sympathies. We will miss Clay.*

**Rob McDonald** - November 04, 2025 at 07:03 AM